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## STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

On February 1, 2006, the undersigned telephoned the Examiner to discuss the \$101 rejection in the Office Action dated November 28, 2005. The Examiner informed the undersigned that the rejection was moot in light of new Examination guidelines that had been published after In re Lundgren was decided. No other prior art was discussed.

Respectfully submitted,

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